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Christian BAUER

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: Examiner: David C. Reese

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.  
☐ Small entity status of this application has been established.  
☒ Also attached: *Exhibit A*

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